

American Flat/Lucerne Access Right-of-Way Project Environmental Assessment

Figure 4

Your Input Is Important

What is a Substantive Scoping Comment:

To take full advantage of your opportunity for participation, your comments should be substantive, supported by relevant data, and relate to the Proposed Project. Comments should focus on:

- The Proposed Project (American Flat/Lucerne Access ROW);
- Potential impacts that should be analyzed in detail;
- Potential problems that you foresee and possible solutions for them;
- Suggestions for reasonable and feasible alternatives to the project;
- Suggested mitigation measures; or
- Elements of the human environment that should be preserved.

Comments that are not considered substantive include the following:

- Comments in favor of or against the Proposed Action or alternatives without reasoning that meet the criteria listed above (such as “we disagree with Alternative Two and believe the BLM should select Alternative Three”);
- Comments that only agree or disagree with BLM policy or resource decisions without justification or supporting data that meet the criteria listed above (such as “more grazing should be permitted”);
- Comments that do not pertain to the project area or the project (such as “the government should eliminate all dams,” when the project is about a grazing permit); or
- Comments regarding mining on private land.

How to Comment:

Postmarked by February 16, 2013

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